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Docket No.  
**53492USA1A**

**Amendment Transmittal Letter**

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Washington, D.C. 20231

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Inventor(s): Christopher J. Edge et al

Application No. 08/882,561

Group Art Unit: 2772

Filed: July 3, 1997

Examiner: Nguyen, K.

**Group 2700**

Title: **ARRANGEMENT FOR MAPPING COLORS BETWEEN IMAGING SYSTEMS  
AND METHOD THEREFOR**

☒ Enclosed is an amendment in the above-identified application.

☒ The fee for this amendment is computed as follows:

| Claims As Amended   |  |       |  |                         |             |                          |  |
|---|--|-------|--|-------------------------|-------------|--------------------------|--|
| (1)   | (2)<br>Claims<br>Remaining<br>After<br>Amendment | (3)   | (4)<br>Highest No.<br>Previously<br>Paid For | (5)<br>Present<br>Extra | (6)<br>Rate | (7)<br>Additional<br>Fee |  |
| Total<br>Claims   | 44   | Minus | ** 24  | = 20                    | x \$18.     | = \$360                  |  |
| Independent<br>Claims   | 9  | Minus | *** 7  | = 2                     | x \$78.     | = \$156                  |  |
| Additional fee for filing one or more multiple dependent claims, if no such<br>fee has been previously paid |  |       |  |                         | \$260.      | \$0                      |  |
| Total Additional Fee For This<br>Amendment →  |  |       |  |                         |             | \$516                    |  |

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Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT

Approved  
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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on March 18, 1999, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 6 and 24, amend claims 1-5 and 7-19, and add new claims 25-46, as follows:

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1. (Amended) A method for [For use in] transforming colors between source and destination color imaging systems, the [a color mapping] method comprising:  
using forward transformation profiles that characterize the source and destination color imaging systems to generate respective sets of device-independent color values for the source and destination color imaging systems;  
calculating color conversions for different combinations of source and destination color imaging systems by recursively reducing differences between the respective sets of device-independent color values; [and]
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